# COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

#### **FISCAL NOTE**

L.R. No.: 3803S.02I Bill No.: SB 1028

Subject: General Assembly; Banks and Financial Institutions

Type: Original

Date: March 8, 2024

Bill Summary: This proposal creates a Joint Committee on Legal Tender.

## **FISCAL SUMMARY**

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND					
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027		
General Revenue*	(\$83,147)	(\$101,471)	(\$103,201)		
<b>Total Estimated Net</b>					
Effect on General					
Revenue	(\$83,147)	(\$101,471)	(\$103,201)		

<sup>\*</sup>Subject to appropriation – Joint Committee on Legal Tender assumed to hire one (1) FTE at an average annual salary of \$60,000.

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS						
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027			
<b>Total Estimated Net</b>						
Effect on Other State						
Funds	<b>\$0</b>	\$0	\$0			

Numbers within parentheses: () indicate costs or losses.

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ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS					
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027		
<b>Total Estimated Net</b>					
Effect on All Federal					
Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0		

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FULL TIME EQUIVALENT (FTE)					
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027		
General Revenue	1 FTE	1 FTE	1 FTE		
<b>Total Estimated Net</b>					
<b>Effect on FTE</b>	1 FTE	1 FTE	1 FTE		

☐ Estimated Net Ef	fect (expenditures or redu	iced revenues) expec	eted to exceed \$250,0	000 in any
of the three fiscal	l years after implementation	on of the act or at ful	ll implementation of	the act.

☐ Estimated Net I	Effect (savings	or increased	revenues) ex	spected to	exceed \$250,0	000 in any of
the three fiscal	years after imp	olementation	of the act or a	at full imp	plementation o	f the act.

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS					
FUND AFFECTED FY 2025 FY 2026 FY 2027					
Local Government \$0 \$0 \$0					

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### **FISCAL ANALYSIS**

#### **ASSUMPTION**

Officials from the **Missouri House of Representatives (MHR)** assume no fiscal impact. As a joint committee, any expenses incurred by House members would be covered by the joint contingent appropriation. The MHR defers to the Senate on the impact it may have on that appropriation.

Officials from the **Missouri State Senate** anticipate no direct fiscal impact. The Senate assumes if a new permanent Joint Committee is formed, money will need to be appropriated for the purpose of fulfilling the requirements of the committee.

**Oversight** notes the new Joint Committee on Legal Tender is authorized to employ the necessary personnel within the limits of appropriations. Oversight will assume the new joint committee will employ one (1) FTE at a starting salary of \$60,000 per year. Oversight will also assume the members of the committee (10) will each receive reimbursements of actual and necessary expenses of \$200 per year.

Officials from **Office of the State Treasurer**, the **Department of Revenue**, and the **Joint Committee on Legislative Research** each assume the proposal will have no fiscal impact on their respective organizations.

**Oversight** notes that the above mentioned agencies have stated the proposal would not have a direct fiscal impact on their organization. Oversight does not have any information to the contrary. Therefore, Oversight will reflect a zero impact on the fiscal note.

FISCAL IMPACT – State Government	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027
	(10 Mo.)		
GENERAL REVENUE			
<u>Costs</u> – Joint Committee on Legal			
Tender			
Personal Services (1 FTE)	(\$50,000)	(\$61,200)	(\$62,424)
Fringe Benefits	(\$31,897)	(\$38,741)	(\$39,216)
Expense and Equipment	(\$1,250)	(\$1,530)	(\$1,561)
<u>Total Costs</u> – Joint Committee on Legal			
Tender	(\$83,147)	(\$101,471)	(\$103,201)
FTE Change –	1 FTE	1 FTE	1 FTE
ESTIMATED NET EFFECT TO			
THE GENERAL REVENUE FUND	(\$83,147)	(\$101,471)	(\$103,201)
Estimated Net FTE Change to the			
General Revenue Fund	1 FTE	1 FTE	1 FTE

FISCAL IMPACT – Local Government	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027
	(10 Mo.)		
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

## FISCAL IMPACT – Small Business

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal.

## FISCAL DESCRIPTION

This act establishes a permanent joint committee of the General Assembly to be known as the "Joint Committee on Legal Tender". The committee is charged with the following:

- Examining the possibility of issuing gold and silver coinage and specie in a manner consistent with Article I, Section 10, of the United States Constitution; and
- Examining the possibility of keeping a certain amount of gold and silver coinage and specie in the custody of the state at all times.

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The Committee may compile a full report of its activities for submission to the General Assembly, which shall include any recommendations which the Committee may have for legislative action.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

## SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Missouri Senate Missouri House of Representatives Joint Committee on Legislative Research State Treasurer Department of Revenue

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